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AMENDMENTS TO THE CLAIMS:

This listing of claims will replace all prior versions, and listings, of claims in the application:

Listing of Claims:

1 Claim 1 (currently amended) A POS system comprising:
2 at least one store server wherein said at least one store server comprises:
3 means for storing transaction data transmitted from each POS terminal,
4 means for receiving and executing a transaction cancel instruction from a first POS terminal
5 other than a second POS terminal at which a first transaction occurred, and
6 means for transferring said transaction cancel instruction to said second POS terminal at
7 which said first transaction occurred [[:]] , and
8 a plurality of POS terminals as clients to said at least one store server, wherein
9 each of said plurality of POS terminals comprises:
10 means for inputting transaction data;
11 means for storing said transaction data as first transaction data relating to a transaction that
12 occurred [[at]] at a first POS terminal;
13 means for transmitting said transaction data to said at least one store server;
14 means for querying said at least one store server and requesting [[a]] second transaction data

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15 relating to a transaction that occurred at a second POS terminal;

16 means for instructing said at least one store server to cancel the second transaction that
17 occurred at said second POS terminal;

18 means for executing a transaction cancel instruction received from said at least one store
19 server to cancel said second transaction that occurred at said second POS terminal;

20 means for applying a correction to said second transaction data;

21 means for transmitting said corrected transaction data to said at least one store server as [[a]]
22 third transaction data relating to a new transaction that occurred at said first POS terminal, said
23 corrected transaction data being stored at said first POS terminal as transaction data relating to said
24 new transaction. [[.]]

Claims 2-3 (canceled).

1 Claim 4 (previously presented): A POS system as claimed in claim 1, wherein, when a
2 cancel instruction for a transaction is received from a POS terminal, said at least one store server
3 stores cancellation information in an area of said storing means that corresponds to the POS terminal
4 through which said transaction was originally registered.

1 Claim 5 (previously presented): A POS system as claimed in claim 4, wherein said at least
2 one store server comprises means for totalizing sales by periodically searching through transaction

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3 data stored in said storing means.

1 Claim 6 (previously presented): A POS system as claimed in claim 5, wherein when said
2 transaction cancellation information is stored in said storing means, said sales totalizing means in
3 said at least one store server deducts said transaction from said totalized sales.

Claims 7-10 (canceled).

1 Claim 11 (currently amended) A POS terminal comprising:
2 means for inputting transaction data;
3 means for storing said transaction data as first transaction data relating to a transaction that
4 occurred at a first POS terminal;
5 means for transmitting said transaction data to at least one store server;
6 means for querying said at least one store server and requesting [[a]] second transaction data
7 relating to a transaction that occurred at a second POS terminal;
8 means for instructing said at least one store server to cancel the second transaction that
9 occurred at said second POS terminal;
10 means for executing a transaction cancel instruction received from said at least one store
11 server to cancel said second transaction that occurred at said second POS terminal;
12 means for applying a correction to said second transaction data;

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13 means for transmitting said corrected transaction data to said at least one store server as [[a]]
14 third transaction data relating to a new transaction that occurred at said first POS terminal, said
15 corrected transaction data being stored at said first POS terminal as transaction data relating to said
16 new transaction.

Claims 12-15 (canceled).

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